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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

**VIA: Deputy Director for Plans
Director of Personnel**

**SUBJECT: Placement Assistance for Certain Contract
Personnel**

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation for approval. Such recommendation is contained in paragraph 3.

2. A limited number of our non-official cover personnel are now or soon will be unemployed because of the recent public disclosure of our projects. Cover/security restrictions preclude their assignment to other outside activities and there are no staff vacancies for which they qualify. The Office of Personnel Placement Division is willing to assist. However, this presents a security problem as OP/PD is overt CIA. A limited number of the personnel affected are covered by the Civil Service Retirement System and would like to continue federal employment. We prefer that they not continue federal service for the immediate future because this would necessitate acknowledging their true status for the past several years. In order to be fair to these employees and to protect the Agency interests we propose to refer them to professional placement agencies for employment in private industry. We anticipate a maximum of ten employees in this category. Biographic profiles of personnel already identified are attached.

3. Approval is requested to pay placement fees for personnel who cannot be handled by existing facilities because of security factors.

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We will rely on the Office of Personnel to provide estimates of the cost of the proposed program.

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Attachments: 6
Biographic Profiles

CONCUR:

Deputy Director for Plans

/s/ Emmett D. Echols

Director of Personnel

19 SEP 1967

The recommendation contained in
paragraph 3 is approved:

Deputy Director for Support

Date _____

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